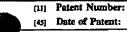


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(54) READILY DONNED, POWDER FREE ELASTOMERIC ARTICLE

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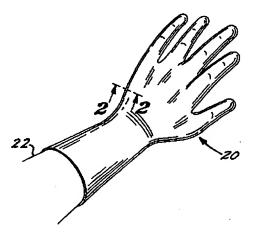
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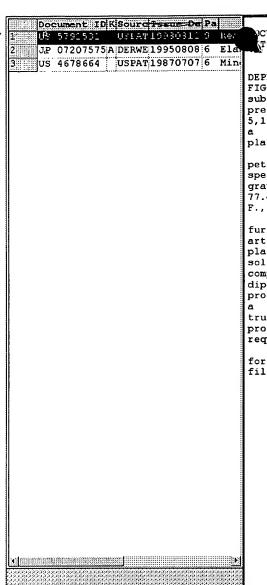
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An elastomeric article such as a glove includes a substrato body made of an styrene-emplene-burylene-styrene block copolymer, and a donaling layer overlying at least our side of the substrate body. The donating layer is formed of a chlorinated styrene-taoprene, prefranhly having a polymyrene block content of from about 10 to about 20 percent by weight of the total copolymer weight and an end by put the polystyrene molecular weight of at least about 5,000. Optionshly, a surfactant-containing layer may be present over the donating layer to further improve the donating characteristics. The stricle is preferably prepared by dipforming the article from an styrene-onlytene-burylene-styrene-block copolymer, coating the stricle with a solution of the styrene-isoprene block copolymer, and chlorinating the styrene-isoprene block copolymer.

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FIG. 4 illustrates the preferred approach for practicing the invention. substrate body is prepared, preferably by dip forming, numeral 50. The preferred dip forming technique is discussed fully in U.S. Pat. Nos. 5,112,900 and 5,407,715. Briefly, the S-EB-S block copolymers are mixed with

plasticizer. The plasticizer is preferably a mineral oil, which is a refined

petroleum paraffinic hydrocarbon oil. The preferred mineral oil has a specific

gravity of 0.87 at 77.degree. F., a viscosity of 170 centistokes at 77.degree.

F., and a Hirschler molecular weight of 492. The S-EB-S block copolymers are

furnished by the manufacturer as a solid. To form a solution from which articles can be dip formed, the S-EB-S block copolymers and the mineral or plasticizer are dissolved in a mutual solvent, preferably toluene. Toluene solutions of S-EB-S provide minimal viscosities of concentrated solutions compared to many other solvents. A highly concentrated solution improves dip-forming process economics by reducing the amount of solvent that must be processed in a solvent recovery operation. The S-EB-S in toluene solution is

true, stable solution, as distinct from a mixture or an emulsion. The process

requires attaining such a solution, as by using a high shear mixer and mixing

for a sufficient time to reach a homogeneous solution. The solution is filtered to remove any fine particulate matter.

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phosphate ester salt of alcohol providing for easy-handlin g yarn.

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BASIC-ABSTRACT: The elastic yarn comprises (Y) an elastic yarn of EFEER copolymes of polyetherester, and (O) an oily agent composed of indispensable

components of: (A) a polydimethyl-silicone having a viscosity of 3-8 c stokes

at 25deg.C; (B) a mineral cil having a viscosity of 8-16 c stokes at

(C) a partial phosphate ester salt of an alcohol having branch with adduct of

ethylene oxide, and satisfying conditions (1)-(3), simultaneously: (1) 95 < WA

+ WB > 90; (2) 3 < WA/WB > 1; (3) 20 < WC > 5; where each WA, WB and WC = each

content of (A), (B) and (C), in wt.% respectively and (O) oily agent is made to adhere onto (Y) yarn in an amt. of 1.5-5.0 wt.% based on wt. of (Y) yarn.

USE - The elastic yarn of block copolymer of polyetherester is used for requiring fitting to body, e.g. swimming wear, ski wear, training pants, etc.

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This invention relates to a gel composition comprising water, mineral oil and two polycayethylene-polycayetryteme block copolymers designated copolymer A and copolymer is whereth said block copolymers are cogenies mineral of cocquigated polycaybutylene-polycayethylene occupants containing in their structure caybutylene groups, cayethylene groups and an organic adical derived from a water-solibils organic compound containing a phrality of reactive bydrogen atoms and 2 to 12 carbon atoms wherein copolymer A has a molecular weight of the polycaybutylene portion of at least about 1800 and the polycayethylene portion atom where and copolymer B has a polycaybutylene portion with a molecular weight of the atom about 1800 and the polycayethylene portion courtbutter from about 50 to 81 percent by weight of the compound and copolymer B has a polycaybutylene portion courtbutter from about 20 to 40 percent by weight of the compound.